Official Paper. The County Board, on Monday, ordered that the County printing, for the ensuing year, be done by the Chief, at the rates provided by law.

A Specimen - We have several times spoket of the persistent effort that is being made to organise a distinctive Greenback party in this County-a party that will be left without an issue, if the two leading parties of this country carry out the measures now before Congress, as it is likely they will do. We have also referred to the number of persons engaged in the movement who have no conception of finance, and who would still be impecunious, if greenbacks grew on trees. If we should assert that many of then expect, if their ideas are carried out, that Govment would send agents through the country sowing greenbacks broadcast, that every man might pick up what he wanted, perhaps it would be thought that we were trying to ridicule them. But we are informed that at least one individual, who is active and somewhat prominent in the Greenback movement, actually insists that what the country needs, and what must be accomplished by the Greenback party, is that Government issue a sufficient amount of greenbacks to make every man in the United States a present of \$1,000, which shall be done, and the money thus put in circulation! This, he thinks, would drive out hard times, and put every man on s sound financial footing. Such men do not seem to comprehend, that if greenbacks were never a plenty, men would have to work to own them, and that the only way to bring them would be to raise somthing to exchange for them. It would be a glorious country, if men could spend their time in greenback tomfoolery, and Government would furnish them with pockets fall of money, without any labor on their part! Greenbacks would be valuable under, that arrange ment. This, we suppose, is the millenium that "Bunkum," of the Bulletin, sighs for.

The sparling our at Iowa Point, who vents his flatulence through the columns of the Balletin, acknowledges that he was the beast we referred to, in our recent item in relation to "ernelty to animals," and proceeds to squeal through olumn and a half of the Bulletin for our benefit. If the dirty dog would gather his family about him, and take care of them, instead of trying to palm himself off upon respectable young ladies as a single man, he might be held in more respect by the community, and avoid such hu miliations as the one we recently recorded. Now, bark us a column or two on that, and then send to Saline County, Missouri, for a pedigree.

TAKE NOTICE .- We call the attention of ad vertisers in the Troy Bulletia to the foct that they are being charged four prices for the work. The prices for public printing are very nearly the same as country newspapers have established for regular advertising. The editor of the Bulltis put in a proposition to do the County printing at one-fourth the legal rate, and says that he could afford to do it at that. If he can afford it, why does he charge regular advertisers four times that amount? Why does he charge his friends and voluntary patrons four times as much for their work as he offers to work for the public at large for f

The Bulletin says it is going to publish all the County matters, such as delinquent lists, road notices, statements of allowances, &c., free, if it cannot get the County printing, so that its readers may have the benefit of them. The Wathena Reporter started out on the same hightoned plan, but limbered on it in a very brief length of time, when it found that the printing wouldn't come. The Bulletin will do the Board to terms. That Bulletin fellow doesn't like to work for the poor people for nothing, half as well as he lets on.

The two-column bore of the Bulletis complains of the number of children at Iowa Point. and thinks some of them could be spared. Perhaps the citizens of the Point, unlike him, keep their children with them. He would like to see all the children driven away, like the rats, so that he could draw his teacher's wages for little or no work, and devote his precious time to furnishing alop with which to fill the columns of

Judge Hanback, of Topeka, has become a Murphyite, and is so full of ardor in the cause, that he wants the license law amended so as to prohibit saloons from having screens or painted windows. If the law can regulate a man's private business in that way, Judge Hanback should insist that bed-rooms of dwellings be prohibited from having blinds or curtains, so that every peeping Tom could look in and see what is going

It is now in order for the editor of the Bulletin to resort to the law to compel the County Board to give him the printing, as he has threatened to do. He made his appeal to the people, and they repudiated him; he went crawling to the County Board, and they kicked him out; now, if some lawyer has agreed, for a fee, to force the Board to give him the printing, this is a good time to try it on.

If It was thought by many, that Severance in this County, was terribly afflicted with smallpox; but it was a mere trifle to what they are experjencing in Huntingdon, Pennsylvania. The disease is pervailing there in a very virulent five deaths from the disease; but now, the doc-tors say, they have it under control, and there are only twenty-five or thirty cases in the town.

The Falls City papers kick at what we said, two weeks ago, about their city being on the decline. We know nothing of the facts, but simply stated what was told us by several persons who were in a situation to know. One thing we are sure of: we have no desire to see Falls City decline in prosperity.

The Russian army has entered Constantiads of the Russians, who now have control of the Dardenelles, the Bosphorus, and the Black Sea. England and Austria are very mad about it, and are threatening to do something desper-

The epidemic of failures seems to be sub siding. The reports now do not include more than one or two per day. Those Eastern banks

have not yet resumed. paper that the Republicans could never place any dependence upon, is bitterly hostile to Col. Phillips? Why is it that every man and every news

The Topeka Bank anspended, last week; but an examination into its affairs showed that it was all right, and it has gone ahead with its

The suit of James C. Horton against Watson, in Douglas County, over the County Treas-

urership, has been decided in favor of Watson. Beecher is in favor of the continued deon of silver. He is also in favor of

the Demonitization of religion. We are glad to say that the President still lds to his policy with noble firmness. Senator

A Time-Honored Anniversary.

At the beginning of every year, in a number of Western States, and more particularly in Kan-aus, there is a sharp and often bitter strife among the newspapers for the County printing. Newspapers in the West have a hard time of it, at best. There is not one of them (boast as they may of their thriving business) that does not find it hard pushing to get along. The patrouage is limited, and the business is terribly overdone. There are three or four newspapers in Counties or communities that cannot suppor one as it should be supported to make it a profitable business. The County printing is an im portant object to the best of them, and is a help that all are eager to secure. When papers boas that they can get along without any County printing, their sincerity may be estimated fro the fact whether they acramble and wrangle for

A Kansas Legislature, some years ago, through su experienced committee, some of whom were practical printers, but none of whom were interested in newspapers, adopted a scale of fees that newspapers should be entited to for public printing. The committee made a thorough investigation, and ascertained what would be a fair compensation for public work. The figures they arrived at, were very similar to those adopted by a majority of newspapers for ordinary advertising. This law recognizes the right of printers to fair wages for their labor when they work for the whole public, as well as when they work for individual members of the public. But half-fledged printers, and men who are not printers, have penetrated into every nook and corner of the State, filled with an ambition to ruu newspapers. They have no permanent interest in the ou, or in the community, but are after what they can pick up, to eke out an existence They look with a longing eye upon the County printing, and their souls are filled with jealousy of those who happen to have the printing at fair price. If they cannot have it, they are determined to make it worthless to anybody else. The result is, that every year, the demagogue cry is resounded far and wide, that the dear taxpayers are being imposed upon; that the newspapers are amassing wealth out of the County printing; and that it should be let to the lowest pidder, and thousands of dollars saved to the people. Very few County Boards have the backsone and the good sense to take an enlightened business view of the matter, but think they are serving the people by setting the printers to cutting each other's throats, thereby saving a few dollars, and having the County work botched. This class of printers run down and ruin their own business, and create the impression it the public mind that printers charge exorbitant prices, when not kept down by competitio The County Board of Douiphan County is one of the few exceptions to the County Boards above

spoken of, as the result shows. Attorney-General Davis is entitled to the thanks of all legitimate newspaper publishers, for settling this vexed question in so clear and concise a manner as he has. It will result in securing something like justice to the hardest worked and poorest paid profession in the State and will be a welcome relief to County Boards that were disposed to do the fair thing, but were intimidated by the clatter of irresponsible incompetents, concerning the interests of the dear

people, and false representation of economy. Doniphan County has not been exempt from this cut-throat practice. Nine years ago, las November, the present edior of the Troy Bulletin made his advent into this County. One of the very first discoveries he made, was that there was something wrong about County printing His bowels (and he has lots of them) all yearned for the dear people, and he demanded tha the printing be let to bids. Well, sealed proposals were asked for, and three papers in the County put in sealed bids. The editor of the Bulletin, in ways almost as honorable as stealing found out what the figures of his competitor were, and, of course, underbid them, getting the work at less than half price. It was not very profitable, and the next year, this man with the bowels that yearned for the poor tax-payers made a proposition, the first of the kind that was ever broached in the County. He feared that the next bid would take prices down to one-fourth or less, so he proposed to the other publishers that they refuse to bid, but let the work go to one and then another at full price. and all divide the proceeds equally! Yes, he wanted to save money for the poor tax-payers!

After that, for six years, the Balletis man was out of the newspaper business. During that time, he expressed to us, perhaps more than a hundred times, that there was not a legitimate living for more than one newspaper in Doniphan County, and that printers ought not to cut under legal prices for County printing. As time passed, he found that he was losing his grip, and felt that his political ambition was not being promoted as it deserved. He hankered for a newspaper, that he might lash the politicians, and "bring them to his feet," and become the great oracle of Northern Kausss. He found a tarved-out newspaper that wanted to sell, and he found men who would back him on condition that he brought the paper to Troy, and fought the Chief. He at once gave it out that, although he might not get any of the County printing that year, he proposed to have it all, the next year From the very start, he commenced the work of tearing down men, for the sole reason that they were friendly to the Chief, and would not desert it to kneel at his feet; and he set about fixing up tickets for the Fall election, with a view to his own individual interest. He made the question of County printing the only issue in the County, and forced it in every part of the County. He was signally and overwhelmingly defeated, not a single candidate that he willingly advocated being elected. With this printing is sue before them, the people repudiated him. His next role was as Judas Iscariot-betraying his party, in the hope that the opposition party would boy him, by uniting as an organization in his support. But still he could not give up the County printing. He printed a large number of petitions, asking the County Board to let the printing to the lowest bidder. He scattered these petitions broadcast over the County, having his special agents and others make it a point to solicit everybody to sign them. We heard from them in every direction. Some have told us that they signed them to get rid of the fellows who were boring them with the matter; others, that the thing was misrepresented to them; and others, on the general principle of signing any petition that comes along. After all is bowling and drumming, he was enabled to present petitions to the Board with just 236 signatures, at the January meeting. On the strength of these petitions, numbering about one voter out of every twelve in the County, and without waiting for bids, he asked that the County printing be given him at one-fourth legal rates. As the matter then stood, he was getting none of the printing; but if he could get t at one-fourth rates, he would not be worse of than before, while he would take something

from us, which would be a great triumph. He would make nothing for himself, but he could pull another down. [Tilton hit him squarely

between the eyes, the other night.] The ques-

was handed in, containing 38 names, making 274

tion was postponed until the February meeti. At that meeting, last Monday, one more petiti

ened, or cajoled, worth a cent, and he is flattened out in a style that would put a cold buckwheat cake to shame.

Those petitions, refered to above, are objects of interesting study. They say, "the undersigned, tax payers," &c. We have examined them and compared them with the tax-books in the Treasurer's office. There are a number of good tax-payers represented, but over one hundred of the names do not appear on the tax-books, and nover have. Like the editor of the Bulletin, they how! about taxes, but pay not a cent of tax. We find the names of two minors, who pay no tay but the names are twice on the petitions. We find another name on them twice, a voter, but not a tax-payer; and we find one tax-payer whose name occurs twice. On one of the petitions every name is written by the same hand with the same ink, and apparently with the same peu. Some person sat down, and for pastime, wrote names, as they came to his m One person has told us that he and several othere found one of the petitions in a store, and wrote a lot of names on it, "just for devilment." To cap all, two persons whose names are on the petitions have been paupers on the County, the heavy petitions by which the Bulletia's claims for the printing are backed. We may conclude to publish the entire list of siguers of the petitions, with the amount of tax each one pays set opposite his name.

The County Board thoroughly understood all the matters we have stated in the foregoing "few brief remarks," and they acted upon that knowledge-and the Chief has the County printing. Selah!

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

DONIPHAN, KAN., Feb. 2, 1878. EDITOR CHIEF.—In your last issue, I notice that one f your correspondents from this place states that f your correspondents from this pince.

To Dramutic Society have been refused the use of the Presbyterian Church. Not being a member of either the society or the denomination, I can view the situa-tion from neutral ground, and as I am in ignorance as to whom the party is that has "respectfully declined," I can not be accused of any personal motive in this A few years ago, the believers in the doctrine o

everlasting damnation, desired to erect a building bere, for the purpose of holding their meetings in. Their numbers being few and funds light, they invited the people to contribute freely to the good cause. The building was partially completed, and remained so for some time, when steps were taken towards its comple-tion. To do this, a festival was held in the building, and tableaux, music, etc., were added, to make it mo

attractive and profitable. One "gay and festive youth entertained the crowd with a negro song and banjo accompanyment, and if he could have danced, would have undoubtedly helped the pious cause still further by executing an old-time "break-down." Young ladies, with enticing little "grab-bags" and "fish-ponds," were in attendance, to relieve the people of their dimes. Nobody objected. Those who came, expected to spend money, and have a good time, and the church members seemed to be perfectly satisfied The proceeds, I believe, put the building in good

some time, no services were held by them. During the interval, several itenerant showmen gave enter tainments in the building, renting it of some one who is supposed to have had control of it. The proceeds probably went to the church treasury. Lately, services have been held bare by a minister of the denom ination before referred to. Those of the citizens who tribute their "mite" in the shape of cord-wood, the contributions being taken up in much the same mantry they were invading to contribute to their support I believe it is called "feraging." Now, the Dramatic Society ask permission to give their first entertainment in the building. I presume they would pay for the use of it, but their offer is respectfully declined. Probably it would be profaning the hallowed precinct, to allow any such irreligious proceedings to take place in it. It has not the purity of the "grab bag," where you pay ten cents, and grab the value of one; nor the pious principles of the cake that is supposed to have a ring in it, and in which you take chances—of not getting the ring. I believe some one to consistency being a jewel, but it appears that many of us disregarded it, and by gauging our conscience to suit our actions, we can do almost anything, and

In Memoriam.

WHEREAS, Smithton Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. Ma sons, this 25th day of January, 1878, consigned to their last resting place the mortal remains of our late venerable brother, John W. Smith, it is belitting that proper mention should be made of some portion of his life, acts, and characteristics, as a Mas He was born in Rockingham County, Virginia, in

1791; was married, had two sons and one daughter, all of whom are dead. None are left to mourn

He has been sixty-two years a Master Mason, and while such, has travelled through all the States and Territories of the United States, the Canadas, and some parts of Europe, visiting Masonic Lodges, and wherever he went, giving and receiving Masonic in-

Brother Smith was the founder of this Lodge. His stering care never relaxed, and he deemed it his imperative duty to expunge every appearance of evil. He was the first Master Mason that wielded the gavel west of the Missouri, in Kansas, by calling the eraft to labor under a dispensation and charter from the Grand Lodge of Missouri, in 1854, which brought into action his eminent services, and which has re sulted in the formation of our present Grand Lodge, now represented by 174 Subordinate Lodges within this jurisdiction, 1878.

ors, no one will claim; but they were from the head not from the heart.

To recount his many virtues would occupy too much space, and for this occasion, suffice to say, that he was the noblest work of God, "An honest man."

Resolved, That a special page in our book of recor be set apart to the memory of our late venerable Brother, John W. Smith, and the proceedings of this day set thereon in full detail, recounting his death, at Memphis, Tennessee, and his interment here. Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be sent

to the Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Kansas.

Resolved, That the several newspapers of the Com-

dings. D. VANDERSLICE, S. F. KIRSET, T. J. VANDERSLICE,

Mosquite Creek Items Married, by Esq., Soper, at his residence, Februar 3d, 1878, at 10 o'clock, A. M., D. H. Taylor, to Mis 3d, 1878, at 10 o'cleck, A. M., D. H. Taylor, to Miss Hala Morris. The bride is the daughter of John T. Morris, and is one of Doniphan Ceunty's fairest. She is capable of making any man happy. Mr. Taylor is a moral, temperate, and a Christian gentleman. The happy couple left, on Monday, for the East, on or two. They intend taking in 8t. Louis, Chicago, and the Capital, and other cities of note. We wish them a safe journey, and that their honey-moon may

holding a revival, the past week, at the school house. Bro. Anderson labored hard for the salvation of the sinner, but his labors were almost in vain.

The birth-day party, given by Miss Rebecca Weg-miller, Jan. 29th, was a grand success. The vocal and instrumental music was excellent. Miss Wegmiller and Miss Springer, of Severance, presided at the or-gan. Singing, playing, and feasting, were the order of the evening.

The bride and groom were out to church, Sunday, and their many friends took the opportunity of con-gratulating them. They looked as happy as a big sun

Troy Greenback Club Proceedings.

\*The Club met in the Court room, Saturday, February 2d, at 2 o'clock, P. M., agreeably to call of the the reading of facts and figures, tending to abow the terrible consequences which must yet inevitably re-sult to the country from the Republican-Democratic

tracting the currency. the Greenback party.

Then, a stirring speech from Hon. X. K. Stout. H. carnestly exhorted all intelligent, thinking men, whether Democrats or Republicans, to rally in defence of the country.-to join the Greenback ranks, and save the government from a worse enemy than rethe money power dictate the platforms and control the Presidential nominations of both parties, he became convinced that our only hope was in the organ-ization of an Independent, National Greenback Party. He went into it as then organized, heart and soul, and voted for Peter Cooper. He culisted for the war, and ntended to fight it out on that line, if it took a life time. He had been in principle a Democrat all his ife, but as the Republican party happened to be in power at the out-break of the second necessarially fell the management of the war, so thoroughly Union was he, that he left his own party, and voted and acted with the Republicans, in the hope to more speedily and effectually suppress the rebellion. more speedily and effectually suppress the receinon. He loved country better than party, and he would al-ways be found battling for such measures as promised most for the country, whichever and whatever party organization it might be that adopted them in its platform. If the Democratic party would shake loose from Rothschild's American agent, August Belmont, and from the Money Power generally, and place upon its banner, in good faith, the motioes of the Greenback party, then he would rally under the Democratic ban-ner. Or, if the Republican party would cease to be controlled in its nominations and financial policy and legislation by the Money Power, and seek in earnes to carry out the measures advocated by the new party then he would fight under Republican colors. But the misfortune of it was, neither of these parties would ever break loose from their money gods. They are both controlled by the Money Power, with its "barrels of money," and the only hope of the country is fo try more than party-who are capable of acting the part of patriots, instead of miserable, narrow parti sans—to unite in this patriotic effort to free the land

The Secretary then read a plan originated and subomination of President and Vice President by the Greenback Clubs. It provides that, on the 4th of March, every Greenback Club in the United States take a ballot for President, and the returns be for warded to the National Central Committee at Chicago. That a tabular statement of the result be sent back had, and every six mouths thereafter, gradually narrowing down the list of candidates, until, on the 4th of March, 1880, the name having the greatest number of votes be declared the nominee of the Greenback National Party, for President of the United States. The name having the next greatest number of votes.

On motion, Mr. Chase's plan was adopted by this Club. If a majority of the Clubs in the United States adopt this plan, then it is to be in force : thus making tion come fresh and pure from the hands of the people, without the agency of packed Primaries, State and National Conventions, frauds, shysters, and "barrels of money." This is in itself one of the grandest notes of political progress and reform in the nine teenth century.

Remarks were made by E. N. Watkins, J. A. Me-On motion, it was voted that the Secretary req both city papers to publish the proceedings of this

the same place and hour-Feb. 16, 2 o'clock, P. M. Members of the Club should consider it a patriotic duty to attend its meetings. The general public are

S. R. SHEPHERD, JOHN M. TRACY, Secretary. President.

East Norway Items. Mud, mud, the faithful mud. It is the best friend we have, now days. It sticks to us through thick and

W. R. Stewart and the Hardy brothers are each loing a good business with their stores, considering

Perry Roberts is the first man that has c cutting corn stalks, this season. The missionary tramp, who is well known all through

the County, as a great nuisance, got around to this neighborhood, last week, and the boys gave him Paddy's leave quite lively. Eggs being cheap, they gave him five or six dozen externally. Ratherrough treatment, boys. We would not like to be a Minister, if that is the way you treat them. We would rather be a Chicago street-walker, if Brigham, No. 2, was in

A friend gave us the particulars of quite a little cutting affair, last Sunday. Three or four boys were pitching a game of horse shoes. The party getting beat, said if they could beat them pitchin could not whip them, when one of the boys struck another one three times in the leg with a knife, woundmention any names, this time. But this sounds very badly for our little village.

The farmers, we hear, are getting ready to carry silver. They are lining their pockets and money-bags with buckskin. Won't it be nice, when the farmers can all shake their bags, full of silver. The next day after the egging of the missional

tramp, we hear, he was inquiring where "I Know lived. He said he had an item of interest for him We must say we are very sorry, indeed, that we did not get to see him, and receive his item. Though we have not had the pleasure of a personal acquaintane with him, yet we rancy we are the columns of the Chief.
Some of our farmers are still holding their hogs. Any advice to farmers recommending them to hold their hogs for the biggest price, is likely to work them an injury. Inasmuch as they (the farmers) are not "packers," but producers, they are not supposed to "packers," but producers, they are not supposed to be competent to judge as to the probable price of hogs, and that any advice that leads them to think that the price of pork will advance, is likely to give them exalted ideas of its future worth, and will probably cause them to be losers, by holding too long.

We are sorry to state that Ars. A. Bennett is quite nuwell, caused by slipping and falling on the ice.

Those who are iscapable of shining but by dress, would do well to consider that the contrast between them and their clothes turns out much to their disad-

them and their clothes turns out much to their dis vantage. It is on this account that we have noticed, with pleasure, some men of mmense fortune dress

Rev. A. Bennett gives us the following appointments: Rev. Belknap will preach at the Norway school house, next Sabbath, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and at Mc-Galliard's school house, at half-past 2 o'clock, P. M.

Mr. Mailler has moved his store from the depo building up into the Nigns store room. We under-stand that he has rented it for some time, and will stock up fully, and make many needed improvements Mr. Monsol opened a moeting, on Wednesday even-ing, at the school house, and continued over Sunday. Considerable interest was manifested, and we trust

much good accomplished.

Mr. D. Kloss, of Highland, is holding a meeting at

the White Eagle school house. We understand that he is meeting withe admirable success. Mr. J. W. Schock was down to your city, on Monday, to attend the County Board meeting, in the in-terest of building a bridge over Wolf River, at the line between Doniphan and Brown Counties. A simliar movement is being made in the other County. The idea is for both Caunties to join in building the bridge. It is much needed, and would be a great accommoda-

tion to many farmers in both Counties.

People seem to be waking up to the import

in all, as the result of months of persistent squealing and soliciting. Then the Board quietly ordered that the County printing be given to the Chief, with a provise, that if they deemed it to the interest of the County to have any matter, iron time to time, published in any other paper, it might be done by special order in each case. The editor of the Bullefin at last found a set of men that could not be buildozed, threat-set of men that could not be buildozed. The men the chief, men that Missouri the Missouri that Missouri that Missouri the Missouri that Missour

HAMLIN, KANSAS, Feb. 1, 1878. Mr. Entron: -I see published in the Chief of Jan. 24th, that I. Dr. Clark, have folded my tent, and gone

West, and left numerous friends waiting the prosecu tion. I would have thought more of our porter, if he had given some explanation of why this prosecution was pending, which was in consequence of those friends, as he calls them, constituting a riot of those friends, as he calls them, constraining a bar against civil worship. We do not style them friends of the cause of Christ, but of the cause of Satan. They need not be uneasy—they will be attended to in due time. I think they will be as anxious to get rid of the prosecution as the man was to be unyoked from the bull. Having placed one end of the yoke on the bull's neck, and the other on his, starting in great haste down a long, slanting hill, going about ten feet at the leap, seeing some men, he exclaimed: "Here we come; darn you, stop us! Unyoke the bull; never mind me, I'll stand." I think they will be willing to stand, and occupy a more honorable position in society than they did when striving against the proclamation of the truth. Some of them may be of respectable families, but, like the dog called Tray, were caught in had commany.

ompany. Dr. A. H. CLARK, M. D., D. D.

VEGETINE

BALTIMORE, MD., Feb. 13, 1877. ME. H. R. STEVENS
Dear Set :—Since several years. I have got a sore and very painful foot. I had some physicians, but they could not cure me. Now I have heard of your VEGETINE from a lady who was sick for a long time, and became all well from your VEGETINE, and I went and bought one bottle of VEGETINE; and after I had used one bottle, the pains left me, and it began to heal, and then I bought one other bottle, and so I take it yet. I thank God for this remedy and yourself; and wishing every sufferer may pay attention to it. It is a blessing for health.

MES. C. KRABE 638 West Baltimore Street.

#### VECETINE.

SAFE AND SURE.

MR. H. R. STEVENS:

In 1872 your VEGETINE was recommended to me; and, yielding to the persuasions of a friend, I consented to try it. At the time I was suffering from general debility and nervous prostration, superinduced by overwork and irregular habits. Its wonderful strengthening and constive properties seemed to affect my debilitated system from the first dose; and under its persistent use I rapidly recovered, gaining more than usual health and good feeding. Since then I have not hesistated to give VEGETINE my most unqualified endorsement as being a safe, sure, and powerful agent in promoting health, and rostoring the wasted system to new life and energy. VEGETINE is the only medicine I use, and as long as I live, I never expect to find a better. Yours truly.

W. H. CLARK. 120 Montery Street, Alleghany, Penn.

### VECETINE.

THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE.

MR. H. R. STEVENS—

Dear Sir;—This is to certify that I have used your 
"Blood Preparation" in my family for several years, and 
that for Scrofula or Cankerous Humors or Rhenmatle affections, it cannot be excelled; and as blood purifier 
and spring medicine, it is the best medicine I have ever 
used, and I have used almost everything. I can cheerfully 
recemmend it to any one in need of such a medicine. Yours respectfully.

Mas. A. A. DINSMORE, 19 Russell Str

# VEGETINE.

WHAT IS NEEDED. BOSTON, Feb. 13, 1871.

BOSTON, Feb. 13, 1871.

Beer Sir:—About one year since, I found myself in a feeble condition from general debility. Ventrisk was strongly recommended to me by a friend who had been much benefited by its use. I procured the article, and after using several bottles, was restored to health, and discontinued its use. I feel quite confident that there is no medicine superior to it for those complaints for which it is especially prepared, and would cheerfully recommend it to those who feel that they need something to restore them to perfect health. estore them to perfect health.

Respectfully yours.

U. L. PETTINGILL,

Firm of S. M. Pettingill & Co.,

No. 16 State Street, Boston.

# VEGETINE.

ALL HAVE OBTAINED RELIEF. HAVE OBTAINED RELIEF.

BOUTH BERWICK, ME., Jan. 17, 1872.

H. R. STEVENS, ESQ.—
Dear Sir:—I have had dyspepsia in its worst form for the last ten years, and have taken hundreds of dollars' worth of medicines without obtaining any relief. In September last I commenced taking VEGETINE, since which time my health has steadily improved. My food digests well, and I have gained fifteen pounds in fissh. There are several others in this place taking VEGETINE, and all have obtained relief.

Yours truly,
THOMAS E. MOORE,
Overseer of Card Rooms, Portsmouth Co.'s Mills.

VEG-ETINE.

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O'N the 2d day of February, 1878, the undersigned was appointed, by the Probate Court of Doniphan County, Kansas, Administrator of the Estate of John O'Shea, late of said County, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate, are notified to make payment of the same; and those having claims against the Estate, are required to present them for allowance within one year from the date hereof; and if such claims are not presented within three years from this date, they will be forever barred.

Troy, Kansas, February 4, 1878.

LUKE MORRISSEY, Administrator.

February 7, 1878-3w.

Pr's fee, \$3. Estate of John O'Shea, Deceased.

Sheriff's Sale.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, SS.
COUNTY OF DOMINIAN. SS.
In the District Court for Doniphan County, State of K W. F. Studebaker and J. S. Welsh, Plaintiffs.

J. S. Welsh, vs. V. Lot Bowen, and W. E. Craig.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I will, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1878, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M. of said day, at the North door of the Court House, in the city of Troy, in Dosiphan County, State of Kansas, offer for sale, at public auction, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: Lot No. fourteen. (14) in Block No. two, (2) in C. J. Jones' Addition to the City of Troy, in Doniphan County, State of Kansas. Taken as the property of W. E. Bowen and Martha E. Bowen, and offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy a certain judgment and counts, now of record in the District Court for Doniphan County, in the State of Kansas, in which W. F. Studebaker and J. S. Welch are plaintiffa, and W. E. Bowen, Martha E. Bowen, and W. R. Craig are defendants.

are defendants.

Given under my hand, this 3d day of February, A. D.

1878.

CHARLES BURKHALTER.

Sheriff of Douiphan County.

Pr's fee \$12. Sheriff's Sale.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, \$88. In the District Court for Doniphan County, State of Kan-John C. Evans, | Plaintiff.

Martha L. Owens,
Administrative of the Estate of
Senjamin Owens, deceased, et al.,
Defenden Benjamin Ovens, deceased, et al., Defendanta.

BY virtue of an order of sale directed to me by the Courty, State of Kaneas, wherein John C. Evans is plaintiff, and Marcha L. Owens, Administrative of the Relate of Benjamin Owens, deceased, and Jasse Ovens, Margaret A. Honshall, Sarah E. Deaver, M. Priscills Burgess. M. Letitia Owens, Philip B. Owens, Alberta Owens, and Ella Owens, heirs of Benjamin Owens, deceased, are defendants, I will, on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1872, sell at public auction, at the north door of the Court House, in the city of Troy, in said County and State, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: The north ten (10) acres off of the cast half of the east half of the north-east quarter of section twenty-one, cil) in township three (3) south, of range twenty-one, cil) in Doniphan County, Kaneas, and sold to satisfy judgment of plaintiff.

Given under my hand, this 22d day of January, A. D. 1878.

CHARLES BURKHALITER.

CHARLES BURKHALTER.
Sheriff of Doniphan County
Pr's fee, \$12

Assignee's Sale. Assignee's Sale.

In pursuance of an order of the District Court of the United States, for the District of Kansas, made in the matter of George W. Barr. Bankrupt, in Bankrupte, on the 20th day of December. A. D. 1877. I. Henry C. Branson. Assignce of the Estate and Effects of said Bankrupt, will, on the 25th day of February. A. D. 1872. In front of the Pont-office door, in the City of Wathena, in the County of Doniphan, and State of Kansas, proceed to sell, at public suction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts or praceis of land, lying and being in the County and State last aforeand:

The South half of the North-cast quarter (t) of Socious thirteen. (13) Township three, (3) Range twenty-one. (21); also, Lota numbered E and numbered D, in the town of Constantinople, West Addition to Wathena.

Said land will be sold free and clear of and from the incumbrance of a certain alleged mortgage, executed by said Baukrupt and wife, bearing date the 11th of December, A. D. 1878. See

Assignee's Sale.

In pursuance of an order of the District Court of the United States, for the District of Kanana, made in the matter of George W. Burr, Rankrupt, in Bankruptey, on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1877, I. Henry C. Branson, Assignee of the Estate and Effects of said Bankrupt, will, on the 25th day of Februrry, A. D. 1878, in front of the Post-office door, in the City of Wathera, is the County of Daniphan, and States of Kanasa, proceed to sell, at public ancilon, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following tracts or purcels of land, lying and being in the County and State last afteresaid, to wit:

The East half of the Morth-east quarter (i) of Section four, (d) Townskip three, (3) Range twenty-one, (21) in the County of Daniphan, and State of Kanasa.

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Assignee's Sale. IN pursuance of an order of the District Court of the United States, for the District of Kansas, made in the matter of George W. Barr, bankrupt, in bankruptey, on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1877, I, Henry C. Branson, Asssignee of the estate and effects of said bankrupt, will, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1878, in front of the Post-office door, in the City of Wathens, in the County Doniphan, and State of Kansas, proceed to sell, at public auction, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of isad, lying and being in the County and State last aforesaid:

Pr's fee, \$15,00.

Assignee's Sale.

In pursuance of an order of the District Court of the United States, for the District of Kansas, made in the matter of William B. Craig. Bankrupt, in Bankrupt, oy, on the 30th day of December. A. D. 1877, I. Henry C. Branson. Assignee of the Relate and Effects of anid Bankrupt, will, on the 25th day of Pebruary. A. D. 1878, in front of the Pust-office door, in the City of Wathena, in the County of Doniphan, and State of Kansas, proceed to sell, at public auction, for each, the following described lands or parcela of land, lying and being in the County and State inst aforesaid:

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